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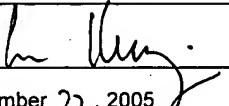
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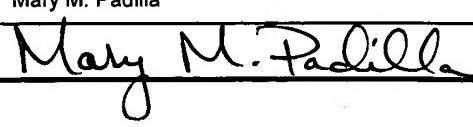
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Invention:

Image Reforming Apparatus Integrating Sheet Postprocessing Apparatus

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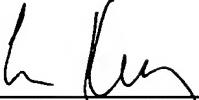
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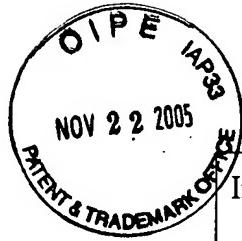
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Dear Examiner Mackey:

Per the Examiner interview conducted, Applicant would like to submit the following supplemental response

Claim amendments begin at page 2.

Remarks begin at page 6.